THE MILITARY REORGANIZATION BILL PASSED-THE PRESIDENCY OF THE ASSEMBLY. PARIS, March 13, 1875.

The Assembly passed the Military Reorganization bill to-day.

THE PRESIDENCY OF THE ASSEMBLY. A new President of the Assembly to succeed M. Buffet will be chosen on Monday next.

ENGLAND.

A MERCANTILE PAILURE WITH IMMENSE LIA-

LONDON, March 13, 1875. Messrs. John C. Imthurn & Co., merchants, No. 1 East India avenue, have falled. Their liabilities are \$10,000,000.

IRELAND.

JOHN MITCHEL'S RE-ELECTION A CAUSE OF POP-ULAR DISTURBANCE.

CORE, March 13, 1875. There was considerable disorder in the town of Tipperary last night because of the refusal of some of the residents to illuminate their dwellings in honor of the second election of John Mitchel to Several houses which were not illuminated were

attacked by a mob and sacked. The town is quiet now.

THE POSTAL UNION.

LONDON, March 13, 1875. Holland and Denmark have ratified the treaty for a postal union.

THE CAPTURED INDIANS.

ORDERS OF PRESIDENT GRANT AS TO THE DISPOSI-TION OF THE CAPTURED INDIANS ACCUSED OF CRIME-LETTER FROM THE SECRETARY OF WAR. WASHINGTON, March 13, 1875. The following letter has been written with refer-

ence to the recently captured Indians:-

WAR DEPARTMENT.

WASHINGTON, March 13, 1875.

TO THE HON. THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR:

SIR-I have the honor to inform you that the President has given the following instructions, of which the military commanders have been advised by telegraph:

Of the captured Indians the ringleaders and such as have been guilty of crimes are to be selected to be sent to such military posts as may hereaster be designated. They are not to be accompanied by their families. The remainder of the captured Indians, with the exception of the two chiefs who are guilty of outraging the German girls, are to be turned over to the Indian Department at their respective agencies. The two chiefs above referred to are to be retained and held in confinement hereaster in such places as the commanding general of the Mintary Division of the Missouri may direct. I am, sir, very respectively, your obedient servant,

THE SUMNER MEMORIAL

BOSTON, March 13, 1875. The Committee on Design and Location of the Summer Memorial Committee are in receipt of information which indicates that many sculptors, both at home and abroad, intend to send models in accordance with the published circular. It will be remembered that three prizes of \$500 each will be given for the designs preferred by the committee. As the models may be despatched up to the 1st of May, they will not all be received in Boston til late in the menth, or probably early in June. These designs are to be placed in some appropriate place in this city and exhibited to the public one month. The committee held a meeting on Saturday, when the Secretary stated that our foreign ministers had distributed the circulars among the leading sculptors of Europe, and intimations were given that several well known American sculptors had already completed their models.

CIVIL RIGHTS AND THEATRES.

The negroes swore out a new warrant for Colonel Wagner and his ticket agent. The former was discharged and the latter bound over in \$500 to appear at the next term of the Court. This case has caused several theatrical companies to cancel engagements for this city.

THE STAGE-STRUCK GIRLS.

BALTIMORE, March 13, 1875.

The two girls who ran away from the Norman School, in Philadelphia, a short time since, and were arrested in this city at a late hour last night, have remained in custody at the Marshal's office all day, a telegram from the Philadelphia rolice having requested that they be held until the arrival of an officer from that city. At eight P. M. a Philadelphia officer, with a prother of one of the a ranadiphia officer, and the party left at ten min-gris, arrived here, and the party left at ten min-utes to eleven o'clock P. M. for Philadelphia, being escorted to the depot by Detective Crone. The girls were arrested on Broadway, in the eastern section of the city. It has been ascer-tained that they came to Baltimore on Wednes-day last on a train from Harrisburg. They have not made known their whereabouts since they escaped from home.

LIFE ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA.

Sr. Louis, Mo., March 13, 1875. Augustus H. Weber, Jacob F. Shillor and Joseph Clough, policy holders in the Life Association of America, filed in the State Insurance Department to-day an application for an examination into the affairs of that company. They allege that the annual statement of the company, filed on the 5th inst., is incorrect in several important particulars! that the company is not nearly so strong as represented; that, in fact, it is not doing business enough to pay expenses; that it has lost the confidence of the people, and that it is nopelessly insolvent. They ask that a receiver be appointed.

SINKING OF A STEAMBOAT.

VICKSEURG, MISS., March 13, 1875. The regular Vickspurg and Duncansby packet B. H. Hart, which left here at one o'clock yesterday afternoon, is reported to have sunk last night. thirty miles above this place, at the foot of Island 102. The cause of the accident was running against drift wood. Hardy hendern, the cierk, jumped overboard and was drowned. Ten or niteen negro deck passengers are supposed to be lost on board. The cargo is a total loss.

RECOVERY OF STOLEN BONDS.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, March 13, 1875. Arthur M. Page, who, in connection with the notorious thief known as "Murdering Jack," robbed L. Lowndes, at Clarksburg, W. Va., in February last, of \$100,000 worth of government bonds, and who was arrested and brought to this city by Detective Mitchell, has finally divulged the whereabouts of \$50,000 worft of the bonds, and that amount has been recovered. "Murdering Jack" is now in jail at Columbus. A requisition from the Governor of West Virginia is expected to-day.

MERCANTILE FAILURES.

MONTREAL, March 13, 1875. Several failures have taken place in the wholesale trade. Simpson, Whitehead & Co., importers of saddlery, hardware, &c., have suspended Messrs. Armstrong Brothers, commission merchants, have made an assignment. Green Brothers. boot and shoe manufacturers, have also made an assignment. It is rumored that another large wholesale house is much straightened through the mability to obtain relief from a certain banking house. The commercial difficulties are attributed to the stringency of the money market and weakness of monetary institutions on which these firms depended.

COTTON DIFFICULTIES.

CHARLESTON, S. C., March 13, 1875. The difficulty in the cotton market was adjusted to-day. Factors are to sell at delivery weight, buyers taking the cotton immediately from the aworn weigher and weighing it with the beam scale. All differences are to be referred to a third weigher whose decision is final.

A FIRE IN PHILADELPHIA.

PHILADELPHIA, March 13, 1875. A fire shortly before twelve o'clock to-night broke out in the building occupied by R. B. Williams, changler, Ne. 48 North Delaware avenue. The premises were begin damaged. Loss not known.

WASHINGTON.

FROM OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENT.

WASHINGTON, March 13, 1875. THE DEBATE IN THE SENATE ON PINCHBACK'S ADMISSION-EFFECT OF THE SPEECH OF SENATOR WHYTE-MUCH SCOWLING AND DIS-CONTENT.

The admission of Pinchback was, if possible, more earnestly debated to-day than heretofore, Senator Thurman leading off in a strong, legal argument against it, and exhausting the full force of all constitutional objections against it. Senator forton continued persistently, as heretofore, to resist the determined assaults made upon him, in his position as chairman of the Committee, of Privileges and Elections, and upon his protégé, Pinchback. Parliamentary exchanges occurred between the Senators which smacked almost of bitter personality, in which Senator Morton, with his usual tenacity, insisted upon having the last word. The feature of to-day's discussion was a vigorous and impassioned phillipic, delivered with siderable oratorical ability, by the newly elected Senator Pinckney Whyte, of Maryland. He quoted several decisions of the Supreme Court and other legal opinions sustaining the bent of his argument, and with a visible effect and impression upon the Senate. He said, with crushing vim, in a rapid review of Louisiana affairs. that he blushed with shame as he contemplated the present attempt to seat Pinchback on the pasis of the re-recognition of the Kellogg government; when he read in contradistinction to it the President's words in his Message, dated January 15, 1875, viz.:- "It has been bitterly and persistently alleged that Kellogg was not elected. The election was a gigantic fraud." This is regarded here as the most positive home thrust yet made in the debate at President Grant. When Senator Whyte reviewed the case of Mr. Thomas, of Maryland, who was objected to as Senator on grounds treason was unavoidably introduced, there was an ominous contraction of brows and a look of defensive resentment in a small coterie of the Southern Senators composed of Senators Cockrell, of Missouri; Withers, of Virginia, and a few others scated by them; and the other side of the chamber, where the older republicans sat, was not lovingly regarded. After the close of Mr. Whyte's able speech the Senate held a short executive session and adjourned.

PINCHBACK AND THE DEMOCRACY.

On the democratic side to-day, among the Senators, it is asserted that Pinchback will fall of admission by seven votes, a fact of which they appear confidently assured by actual canvass. They continue to watch the varying phases of the contest with extreme personal concern, if not jealousy; and in conversation not one of them can brook with complacency an ailusion to the possibility of his success.

Senator Morton, who for a long time has not manifested so much activity and determination in fighting his positions, states, to-night, with conconfidence and equanimity, that Pinchback will be admitted. The majority sentiment and opinion on the outside indicate that his case is hopeless and that Le is now virtually dead to the fortunes of prospective Senatorship. Senator Morton will reply to the arguments made by Senators Christiancy and Pinckney Whyte.

SENATOR JOHNSON AND LOUISIANA.

Mr. Johnson, of Tennessee, said to-day that he did not think he would speak on the Louisiana question, as he fest there had already been enough said upon it and he did not feel called to add to

THE LIST OF PAYMASTERS. Considerable comment is made as to the list of paymasters sent in and now before the Senate for confirmation. Since it has been recommitted to the Mintary Committee the history and record of some of the nominees have been made out, and, it is said, they do not show very flatteringly for some of the aspirants and their frends. military circles about the hotels to-night and among ex-army men, now high officials expressed that some persons among them, of very discreditable records, having already been dismissed from the army for drunkenness and other causes, should have been selected. The confirmation of some will, therefore, be resisted, and no doubt their names will be withdrawn under the pressure, and others sent in before Senators, who have not succeeded in getting their candidates nominated, can be appeased. A few lobby agents have been employed by some of the imperilled to canvass the Senate for lavoring votes; but they are sure to fall, on account of the tone of the Senate and the lynx-eved circumspection of Senator Logan, who is averse to the appointment of men of questionable character to positions of high trust and will oppose them to the bitter end.

GENERAL WASHINGTON DESPATCHES.

WASHINGTON, March 13, 1875.

MUTILATED CURRENCY. The Secretary of the Treasury has decided to return to the old method of redeeming mutilated United States currency, under which a deduction was made proportioned to the portion of the notes missing. The change will take effect on the 1st proximo. The old system was changed by Secretary Boutwell, who established the system now in operation, under which three-fifths or more of a note is redeemed, for its full face value, while smaller tragments are not redeemable at all, unless proof is presented that the missing portions are totally destroyed. The operation of this rule has proved unsatisfactory to the officers of the department, who have accordingly determined to return to the more stringent regulations formerly

The amendment enacted on motion of Senator Hamlin, as part of an appropriation bill in the closing hours of Congress, increasing the pestage on transient newspapers, books, book manuscrip proofs and ordinary printed matter, from one cent for each two ounces, to one cent for each ounce, was not rec-mmended or asked by the Post Office Department. Postmaster General Jewell, in his letter of February 18, to the chairman of the Senate Postal Committee, suggested that the rate be doubled for "merchandise" and his suggestion did not apply to the marlane | rinted matter above referred to.

THE DISTILLERS OF SPIRITS. The following circular letter to supervisors and Collectors, urging an increase of vigilance, has just been issued :-

OFFICE OF INTERNAL REVENUE.
WASHINGTON, D. C., MATCH 11, 1875.
SUPERVISORS AND COLLECTORS OF INTERNAL
REVENUE:—

OFFICE OF INFERNAL REVENUE.

WASHINGTON, D. C., MARCH II, 1875.

TO SUPERVISORS AND COLLECTORS OF INTERNAL REVENUE:—

The recent advance in the rate of taxation on distilled spirits will be an additional incentive to frauds, and must be met by an adequate increase of vigilence on the part of officers intrusted with the collection of the revenue. In response to inquiries of members of congress when the matter was under consideration, the Commissioner stated that in his opinion this tax could be collected. This opinion was based on the Commissioner's faith in the ability, energy and integrity of his assistants throughout the country. He, therefore, calls upon you now most earnestly not to disappoint his hopes and the expectations of the country that the increase of the tax. To this end the Commissioner asks your most carreill scrutiny into the character and conduct of the officers placed directly in charge of distilleries, without whose connected and conduct of the officers placed directly in charge of distilleries, without whose connected have reason to believe that the best interests of the service demand removals you will not hesitate to advise them. You will renew, in yourselves, also Jhat active and constant vigilance over the whole subject which shall serve not only as an earnest to all your subordinates of what is expected and demanded of them, but as a warning to the evil-dis observation of the public service is being inhully administered. The Commissioner will expect this Support, and will sustain you in your endeavors to the very utmost of his ability and official power.

W. DOUGLASS, Commissioner.

PORT JERVIS.

EXPERIMENTS ON THE DELAWARE ICE GORGE YESTERDAY-EFFECT OF THE NITRO-GLYCERINE

PORT JERVIS, N. Y., March 13, 1875, The engineers engaged in breaking up the ice blocking the channel of the river below the ice gorge in their operations to-day reached the first hummock below the great terminal wall of the icepack proper. They found the ice there twelve feet thick and as solid as cemented masonry. To shatter this obstruction an extraordinary charge of nitro-glycerine was used. It weighed twenty centre of the glacial mound and ridge. The explosion was terrific. Great blocks of ice were thrown a distance of over 100 yards to the Pennsylvania shore, while a column of brokenice and water shot up into the air 200 feet, and fell back upon the ground and ice
with a noise like thunder. The ice for a great
distance around was rent and shivered to pieces,
and great seams running in all directions marked
the course of the concussion and its mighty force.
It was found, however, that beneath this mass of
ice the water in the river and no decided channel,
but was cattered and shallow, not being of sufficlent body to carry off the débris, and the blast
was not attended with that beneficial result
it would otherwise have been. The blasting
ceased this atternoon, as the supply of nitroglycerine is exhausted. Mr. D. D. Graham, who
has immediate charge of the explosive, went to
New York this atternoon for another lot, as the
operations are to be continued until the ice is
loosened up to the arch of the dam, and directly
upon the gorge if it is than thought acvisable.
Mr. R. A. Cheeseboro, of New York, has donated
twenty barrels of naphtha, to be used in experimenting on the ice. It will probably arrive here
to-day.

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snowed until noon to-day, and there was a slight fall of rain this after noon, and there is now a prospect of a heavy storm. The river shows no indication of rising at this point, out reports from above are to the effect that the streams are gradually rising.

A LEAP FOR DEATH.

A MAN JUMPS OVERBOARD FROM A FALL RIVER STEAMBOAT-MENTAL DEPRESSION THE CAUSE OF THE SUICIDAL ACT.

NEWPORT, R., I, March 13, 1875. As the steamer Richard Borden, from Fall River. was proceeding down Mount Hope Bay this morning, Patrick Sulitvan, of Fall River, jumped over-board, and was probably struck by the wheel and instantly killed. A boat was lowered and his body picked up and taken to Providence. The unfortunate man was for a score of years employed on the Providence and Fall River steamboats, but for two or three years past has been connected with the police force of Fail River. He has been greatly depressed in mind since the recent death of his wife, and doubless sought to end his life when he took the fatal leap. The body was first

of his wife, and doubless sought to end his life when he took the fatal leap. The body was first discovered by one of the passengers emerging from under the guard alt the paddle wheel, but it was about a mile in the wake before the boat could be stopped and started back. The gentleman who discovered the body states that suilivan was evidently alive when he first saw him, as he threw up one of his arms.

Coroner Wightman was notified of the accident, upon the boat's arrival, but did not hold an inquest, as it did not occur within his jurisdiction. Not more than five minutes before the man jumped overboard the maie spoke to him, but received no abswer. He thought at the time that something was aling him, as he wore a pule, haggard look and gazed wildly over the bulwarks into the water. He bed a conversation with Mr. Duriee, the cierk of the boat, however, about fifteen minutes before he jumped over, and Mr. Duriee noticed nothing unusual about him. He had previously told one of the hands that he intended to land at Bristol ferry. The deceased is about fity years of age and leaves a family of five or six on the supplied of the supplied

SHOOTING AN ITALIAN PEDLER

Sr. Louis, Mo., March 13, 1975. Francisco Palermo, an I alian lemon pedier, while walking along Broadway this morning was fired on by two men behind a fence on the opposite side of the street. He turned and ran, when two builets, coming from a lumber yard on the dropped dead. It appears that Palermo came dropped dead. It appears that Palermo came here from New Orleans about a year ago, that while in that city he lived with an uncle, who was murdered, and that five Italian acquaintances were suspected of the murder, but it was not ascertained definitely who committed the deed. About three months ago these five acquaintances came to St. Louis, and have since threatened, it is alleged, to kill Falermo. Three of these men, giving the names of Joseph Campanio, Joseph Campersio and Anton Campagnio, have been arrested, and the other two ale known to the police. Palermo was a peaceable, industrious young man, and was engaged to be married next month.

SENTENCED TO BE HANGED.

DEDHAM, Mass., March 13, 1875. James H. Costley, who was convicted a few days since of the murder of Miss Julia Hawkes, was sentenced to death in the Supreme Court, in this town, to-day. Several motions were made for a new trial on various pretexts, but the Court denied them all, and Judge Wells then pronounced the sentence, as follows:—

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James H. Costoy, you have been charged with the offence of murder, the charge being that you deliberately took the life of a fellow being whindly, and for the purpose of destroying life. The evidence at the trial of your gut the contained that there are the contained to the contained to the contained to the life of your factor and the contained to contain have been presented by able counsel to the life to trial have been presented by able counsel to the life to contain have been found correct. You have had all the means for your defence that could possibly be afforded, but without avail, and you are left convicted of the murcer of Julia Hawkes. The community regard this class of offences as the highest crime known to the law, and the Lerislature have directed that a nerson convicted of murder in the first degree shall not be allowed to live. The Court was entrely satisfied with the verdict, and nothing remained for the Court but to pass the sentence of the law, which is "That you, James H. Costey, be removed from this place to the prison of this county, there to be kept in close confinement units such time as the Executive department shad; by warrant appoint, thence to be taken to the ince of execution and there to be hanged by the next until you are dead. And may God of His infinite wellow have merced upon the case.

The prisoner received the sentence without any The prisoner received the sentence without any apparent emotion, and was remanded to the costody of the Sherifl. Very close watch is now kept of Costley, as it is leared he may make an attempt to take his own it e. Within a lew days it is said that the officers have received information that the friends of Costley intended to furnish nim with morphine, and, as no one doubts but that Costley would take his own life if opportunity offered, every precaution will now be taken to guard against such an occurrence.

A COUNTERFEITER ARRESTED.

BOSTON, March 13, 1875. A young man, named Charles Daily, whose mother, the notorious "Peg Daily," was keeps a den near the boundary line between Wrentham and Attleboro, which has long been the resort of desperate characters, was arrested at about eight o'clock this morning in Whiting's silver manufactory, North Attleboro, on a charge of counterfeiting United States fifty cent fractional currency. Daily, who is not a bad looking man, is implicated with the band of confederates who have been operating with White, the chief of the clanwhite engaged in making the arrest the officers ascertained that Daily had exhibited a set of steely plates bearing the engraving of the obverse and reverse of the fifty cent currency. These were discovered hidden beside the highway near the house of Daily's mother, and were obtained by the officers claim that the evidence in their possession is conclusive of the guilt of Daily, who was arraigned before Commissioner Hallet at one o'clock this atternoon. In order to give the accused time to prepare for his defence the examination was postponed until ten o'clock Wednesday morning, and Daily was committed to jail in default of bail in the sum of \$5,000. tory, North Attlebore, on a charge of counterselt-

FIRE IN THE ST. NICHOLAS BANK.

A fire broke out yesterday noon in the basement of No. 1 New street, occupied as a printing omce by George Vandewater, causing a damage office by debigs tandewater, cashing a samage of about \$500. The flames rapidly extended to the second floor of the same building, occupied by the St. Nicholas Bank, but were extinguished before they made much headway. The loss to the bank is under \$500, and is covered by insurance.

A dejective flue was the cause of the fire.

ANOTHER FIRE IN HUNTER'S POINT.

Yesterday morning, about six o'clock, the residents of Hunter's Point were startled from their slumbers by a loud explosion, followed by sheets of flame and columns of dense, black smoke. The cause was an explosion of an iron retort in W. missioner will expect this Support, and will sustain you in your endeavors to the very utmost of his ability and official power.

W. DOUGLASS, Commissioner.

THE FALL RIVER WEAVLAS.

New Bedford, Mass., March 13, 1375.

There was a meeting of operatives here to night, at which a numerous delegation from Fan River was present. Much enthusiasm was manifested, and a resolution was passed to make a levy of twenty-live cents per loom. cause was an explosion of an iron retort in W.

AMUSEMENTS.

THEODORE THOMAS' CONCERTS.

This celebrated orchestral leader, with his unrivalled band, gave a concert at Steinway Hali yesterday afternoon with the following programme:-Concerto, No. 5 E flat, op. 73, Beethoven (Allegro, adagio-rondo), Mme. Madeline and orchestra; Hungarian dances, Brahms (L. Allegro molto. 2. Allegrotto. 3. Allegro con spirito) ; Romance of Wolfram, Wie Todesahnung, "Tannhæuser" (Wagner), Mr. Franz Remmertz; plano solo, rondo brillante (Weber), Mme. Madeline solo, rondo brillante (Weber), Mme. Madeline Schiller; Wotan's Abschied und Feuerzauber, Wagner (First night of the Niebelungen-Ring), the vocal part by Mr. Franz Remmertz. Nothing could exceed the hearty, genuine manner in which Rant's glorious sympnony was personned it was a trumphe alike for the conductor and the orchestra, and was rendered without a flaw. Unquainded praise is due to Mme. Schiller's artistic performance of the Beethoven concerto. It was a delightful treat. Mr. Remmertz, in his very trying selections, acquitted himself as an accomplished artist. Branms' Hungarian Dances were given to perfection.

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Last night Mr. Thomas' orchestra appeared at the Brookiyn Academy of Music be ore a crowded house. The bill was as follows:—Symphony, "Oxford" (I. adagio, allegro spiritoso; 2, adagio; 3, menuetto; 4. presto), Haydin. Aria, "Batti, Batti," from "Don Glovanni," Mozart; Miss Annie Louise Cary. Chaconne, J. S. Bach, adapted for orchestra by Joachim Raff. Overture, "Bride of Messina," Schumann. Aria, "Pieta, Pieta," irom "Le Prophete," Meseroeer; Miss Annie Louise Cary. Symphony Nc. 6, Pastorie, in F Major (Opus 68,) Beethoven. The performance was such as might be expected from such au instrumental organization. Miss Cary sang her selections like the true artist she is, and deepened in the minds of the Brooklyn public the favoraole impression she has long ago made. But to Thomas is due the musical honors of yesterday, and to him we must look in this country for everything that is new, great and hoole in the realms of the divine art.

COULISSE CHAT.

The Olympic is doing a splendid business. Mrs. Rousby will shortly appear in Sta Louis Maccape has made a great success in Phila

delphia. Miss Adelaide Neilson has been indisposed at Cincinnati.

The Comique has a varied and entertaining bill for this week. Janauschek is delighting Boston by her inter-

pretation of Mary Stuart. The Emperor of Russia is said to have presented

to Patti furs valued at \$10,000. Mure. Mallinger has started on a starring tour. Here's a chance for Neuendorff.

A Chicago writer calls Gilmore "the hero of three jublices." That beats Lohengriu. Lester Wallack will succeed Fechter at the Wal-

nut Street Theatre. He plays in "Rosedale." The second annual ball of the Hippodrome attachés wili take place at Irving Hall March 31. Eichberg, of Boston, is writing a comic opera, to be called "Sir Marmaduke." No scandal in it.

"Dolores," a new opera by Auteri, bas been produced at Florence. Judging from the title, it is not comic.

however.

Charlotte Thompson is playing at the Chestnut Street Theatre, Philadelphia, in her admirable rôle of "Jane Eyre." Tamperlik recently challenged the son of Gen-

eral Urbino to a duel. It was prevented by the interposition of friends.

The pantomime of "The Golden Egg" has been revived at the Arch Street Opera House, Patladelpnia, with Zanfretta as clown.

Colonel Sellers has been well received at Chicago, and, if we can trust a Western exchange, is "as happy as a claim at high water."

Lawrence Barrett is playing at the Boston The-atre in the "Man o' Airae." Next week he plays in Brooklyn at Mrs. Conway's Theatre. Miss Lillie Eldridge has been playing "The Two Orphans," with a company of her own, through

the Eastern States. She met with marked success. Charley Shay is making great efforts to secure popular favor at the new Grand Central Theat.e. gives a strong and well-selected variety performance. A grand testimonial concert will be tendered to

Miss Morrison-Fiset, the favorite soprano of the

Dominican church, on Thursday, April 8, at the Terrace Garden Theatre. The Georgia Minstrels will produce this week ome of their most fantastic plantation diversions. The end men are prepared to hurl new

comicalities at the heads of the audience. We are about to lose Giroffe-Giroffa owing to the expiration of Messrs. Grau and Chizzola's contract with Mr. Stuart. This is the last week of the jolly bouffe, which goes to delight the city of Brotherly

A Porkopolis scribe said that Del Puente is afficted with an "abominable shakiness or twittering of the voice," and that "our best society does not hanker after Italian opera." What a charm-

ing city of art. M. le Baron de Garay is incensed against Ciqcinnati, both on account of the Lichtmay German opera season and the persistent inquiries made by some of the natives regarding

Mr. C. B. Bishop was unable to appear as Pistol in "Henry V." or Friday and Saturday on account of an attack of inflammatory rheumatism. His place was taken by Mr. John Jack. Mr. Bishop will reappear to-morrow.

Mr. Nixon, the favorite equestrian director, will be tendered a complimentary benefit on Monday night, March 22. The occasion will be a brilliant one, as numerous professional volunteers have tendered their services to Mr. Nixon.

The "Big Sonanza" enters the fifth week of its presperous run at the Fifth Avenue Theatre tonorrow. During the past week the theatre has been crowded to its utmost limits, and on several occasions there was standing room only for the late comers.

Mr. George Rignold has been re-engaged by Meers. Jarrett & Palmer for a protracted term. The strangements are said to be very flattering to the young actor. Mr. Rignold will return to England at the conclusion of the run of "Henry V." to arrange his affairs for a possible final stay in

Mme. Ristori's engagement draws rapidly to an end. To-morrow night she appears for the last time in her splendid impersonation of Medea. She is attracting crowded houses and last week hunoreds were turned away. On Wednesday night she will appear for the first time this season as Marie Antoinette.

Mr. Daly announces that he has purchased the exclusive right of production in this city of the two great Parisian sensations, "Rose Michel," which is crowding the Ambigu, and "The Tour of the World," which has been running since last November at the Porte St. Martin. As the "Big Bonanza" is filling the Fifth Avenue to overflow, it is likely to be some time before either of these plays will be produced here, however.

The preparations for the production of Ahmed are being pushed on vigorously at the Grand Opera House. Matt Morgan and a number of assistants are rapidly painting the scenery which promises to be very beautiful. Mr. Morgan has a splendid chance with the scenery of the Ronda. The costumes, too, are very rich and elaborate. It is said the play of Ahmed has a good deal of interary merit and will not be wholly dependent for success on the quality or splendor of its set-

The run of "Henry V." will undoubtedly be of ten weeks duration, and the only impediment to its continuation will be the contract with Miss Adelaide Nellson. Last week the attendance was enormous, the fair weather affording suburban residents an opportunity to see the grand pageant. The gross receipts up to last evening reached nearly \$90,000. Jarrett & Palmer have arranged for its representation next fall at the Wainut street Theatre, Philadelphia, and at the Boston Theatre.

The summer excursions of the Plymouth Rock will begin on May 30 with a subscription trip to During the season Messrs. Jarrett & Paimer will take her to the great camp meeting at Martha's Vineyard, when the musical features of the trip will be Gilmore's Twenty-second Regiment Band, a choir of fifty voices, the Madrigal Boys, a inli chime of courch bells and a cathedral organ. By these all the more popular Methodist melodies will be given. The licensed capacity of the Plymouth Rock is 5,000, but the managers have resolved to limit the number of passengers to 3,000.

WRECK OF A SCHOONER.

In the thickness and gloom of early morning of Friday, about haif-past five o'clock, the schooner Amelia, Captain Betts, belonging in St. John, N. B., from Matanzas for New York, loaded with malada, honey and truit, went ashore on Hog Island, on the south coast, about a mile west of New Inlet, and nearly opposite Lawrence station, on the Rockaway branch of the Southern Railroad. It appears that Captain Betts had by some means lost his reckening, having been about ten days our-feting the winds and waves north of Hatteras, and supposed, like Captain Rudolph, of the ill-fated steamer Vicksburg, that he was making Barnegat light, when in reality he was making directly for the Long Island coast. Just before she struck, finding the water shoaling rapidly, an effort was made to put the schooner about, but the attempt was defeated by the blowing away of the jib; limediately alterward the mainmast split with a loud report, and coatrol of the vessel was lost. About three minutes afterward she struck the outer beach, broadside on, where she was forced nigher by the heavy sea and rising tide, and soon afterward commenced going to pieces. The captain and crew were all rescued with the aid of men from the Life Saving stations, and five of the crew were forwarded to the city by the Southern Railroad on Friday evening. Wreckers are now at work getting out the cargo, which will mostly be saved, but the schooner will probably be a total loss, as she is rapidly going to pieces. supposed, like Captain Rudolph, of the Hi-fated

AN EVENING IN FLORIDA.

An entertainment was given recently at Green Cane Springs, Florida, a popular winter resort of Northerners, toward the establishment of a Catholic church in the place. Our County Clerk, Mr. William Walsh, was the master of ceremonies, and was successful in raising many subscriptions. The main leature was Mrs. F. Wright, of New York, who gave a fine selection of readings. By a special dispensation of Providence the Hon. Hosea B. Perkins was on hand and acted as the chairman of the occasion. In introducing the hady reader he made one of his most brilliant orations. The occasion was very successful and the sum realized was quite large.

OBITUARY.

N. B. BROWN, EX-POSTMASTER OF PHILADEL-

N. B. Brown, formerly Postmaster of Philadel, phia, and for many years President of the Fidelity phia, and for many years President of the Fidelity Sale and Trust Company, died in Philadelphia vesterray morning at an advanced age, to the great regret of his very numerous riends and ac-quaintances.

MANASSE.—In Blooklyn, on Saturday, the 13th inst., SUSAN, wife of Nathan Manasse.

The Juneral will take place, from No. 11 Willoughby street, on Monday, the 15th inst., at two o'cock P. M. MCNAMARA. —In this city, March 13, Mrs. Mary A. McNamara, aged 29 years, daughter of Cath-

erine Gavin.

The funeral will take place, from her late residence, 12 Thompson street, ou Monday, March 15, at one o'clock P. M. [For Other Deaths See Seventh Page.]

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